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The sunlight flecks my cottage floor;
A singing bird swing high, swings low,
Among the elfin sprites that blow
Red throated trumpets at my door
To wake the morning flowers.
My baby, serious eyed and wise,
Beholds the sun god's scattered wealth.
Night gowned he crawls, with clumsy stealth,
To snatch the gold from where it lies;
I watch him with the silent thought;
That all the world are snatching gold
They cannot for the moment hold,
While all about, unheard, unsought,
Are songs of birds and sunny hours.
—America.

She Was Dazzled.

They tell a good story at the expense of Col. Moore, one of the members of the Everett Piano company, and no one enjoys it better than he does. While he was a resident of Colorado some years ago he was appointed a member of the staff of Governor Grant, and on the day the governor was inaugurated the staff appeared in resplendent uniforms, that of Col. Moore being further embellished with the medals he had won for distinguished bravery in the Crimean war, for he had served there when a mere lad.
The colonel is a large, handsome man, and with his uniform and medals is pretty apt to make considerable of a display. On this occasion, when the inauguration was over, he called upon a friend while still in uniform. A little girl answered the bell, and as she went back into the house with eyes wide open in astonishment her mother asked, "Who is it?" to which she replied, "I don't know; I think it's God!"—Boston Traveler.

A Stimulant to the Gas Industry.

Many of those who were interested in the manufacture and sale of gas in this country have been much exercised by the threatened supersession by the electric light of the older illuminant; but there is now every reason to believe that instead of injuring the gas industry, the introduction of electricity for illuminating purposes will stimulate it to an unlimited extent.
Not only has the fact been established that the superior brilliance of electric light in streets and stores where it is used calls for more light in competitive situations, where gas alone is employed, but it has been demonstrated that the use of gas in engines as a motive power to drive electric light machinery will produce from five to six times the light that could be obtained by burning the same amount of gas in the ordinary way through a burner. A new field has thus been opened up for gas companies to work, in which the electric light will be their ally instead of their competitor.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

Six Things a Boy Ought to Know.

First—That a quiet voice, courtesy and kind acts are as essential to the part in the world of a gentleman as of a gentlewoman.
Second—That roughness, blustering and even foolhardiness are not manliness. The most firm and courageous men have usually been the most gentle.
Third—That muscular strength is not health.
Fourth—That a brain crammed only with facts is not necessarily a wise one.
Fifth—That the labor impossible to the boy of 14 will be easy to the man of 20.
Sixth—That the best capital for a boy is not money, but a love of work, simple tastes and a heart loyal to his friends and his God.—Youth's Companion.

Keeping the Chicken Back.

When the chicken incubator show was here, a young man infatuated with the idea purchased one and placed therein about thirty eggs. According to the rule they were to be hatched the 2d of the month. But it appears that the young man's watchful wife observed a fine brown egg giving way under pressure, as it were, on the 1st of the month, and thinking the chick was appearing prematurely, she promptly pasted some brown paper over the aperture in the egg and with a self satisfied smile awaited the coming of her husband. He declares now that there is nothing like a woman for ingenuity.—Lawrence Eagle.

A Wooden Horse Collar.

I venture to ask you if wooden horse collars have ever been tried, and if not why not? The present style of collar is heating, and very apt for that reason and on account of its roughness to cause sores on the neck of the horse. Zinc collars have been tried, with what result I do not know; but it seems to me that a wooden collar might be made which would be light, smooth and cool, on the same principle as the McClellan saddle tree, which for cavalry purposes has never been surpassed.—Cor. New York Sun.

The Law Is No Good.

The Ohio law which demands that all executions be conducted in prison and between midnight and daylight was intended to suppress newspaper particulars; but in this it is a grand failure. Full particulars are always to be obtained by a hustler. If there can be any cruelty in hanging a murderer it is certainly cruel to rouse him up at midnight to walk to his death.—Detroit Free Press.

The Penobscot river, the largest in Maine, drains 7,900 square miles, a region as large as the state of Massachusetts. From Old Town to Bangor, a distance of twelve miles, the river falls more than ninety feet, giving several of the finest water powers in the world.

The late Samuel J. Randall was in public life for a long period of years. With large opportunities for amassing a fortune, it appears that the total value of his estate amounted to about $5,000, consisting entirely of personal effects.

The curator of the Brooklyn institute told a reporter that one beautiful butterfly in the collection of the institute is valued at $1,000, that sum having recently been paid for a duplicate

Boucicault was asked which he considered his best play. "The one I am going to write next," he said after a moment of profound thought.

Removing Motes from the Eye.

The following is a simple and expeditious way of removing specks from the eye. The only instrument needed is a wooden toothpick or match, made sharp at the point. Hard wood, however, is preferable. The sufferer stands in a good light and rests his body and head against a door, post or some fixed object. With the thumb and a finger the operator holds the eyelids sufficiently apart to see plainly the front of the eye and also to prevent winking. If the speck be on the cornea it may be difficult to see it, and it can then only be found by changing the direction of sight until a favorable position is secured.
The most difficult part of the business is to have the inexperienced person fix the sight on some object and hold the eye perfectly quiet. If this can be done only for a few seconds the operator approaches the mote with the point of the stick, still holding the eyelid, and with gentle passes and gradual advances soon touches the speck and brings it away. The transparency of the eye makes it necessary to approach the surface with care, or it will be reached before it is expected. If the mote be hidden underneath the upper eyelid the eyelash should be gently raised while the upper part of the lid is held downward with the stick. When turned the stick is withdrawn and the lid is held in this position by the eyelash.
Where iron is worked particles of metal are sometimes allowed to remain in the eye for several hours, when they seem to rust fast and cannot be removed by a stick. In such cases the point of a penknife blade, made quite sharp, is used, and if it is magnetized so much the better.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

Dear at the Price.

A change of mind has often occurred after the marriage bans have been published. A clergyman tells recently of a man having put in the bans, and after they had been twice published asked if he might substitute the name of another girl for the one first entered, adding by way of explanation: "I think she will suit me better in the long run." On being told that the change could not be effected unless the first bans were withdrawn, others substituted and the fees paid a second time, also that the full interval, including three Sundays, must elapse before the marriage could be celebrated, the man hesitated. "Do you mean to say that I should have to begin all over again?" he asked. "Certainly," was the reply; "the bans must be published three times in the names of the persons who are actually to be married." "And must I pay all over again if I have the other girl?" "Yes," said the clergyman. "Well, I call that too bad."
The candidate for matrimony remained for some moments in a brown study, then broke out with: "Then I'll stick to the first girl. I'm not going to pay twice over for anybody." He was married during the following week in accordance with this decision, evidently considering the proposed substitution would be too dear at the price of double fees. This did not say much for No. 2, as would be bridegrooms are usually of all people most inclined to be liberal.—Ladies' Treasury.

A Simple Dog Story.

An exchange tells of the peculiar appetite of a dog owned by a Butte City merchant, whose latest exploit was to swallow a diamond stud, lunch on a roll of greenbacks, and, by way of a dessert, thoughtfully masticated a pair of British half hose. Evidently this is no ornery purp, still for marked epicurean eccentricities it cannot compare with a saffron-hued bird dog we once owned. This thoroughbred animal developed delicate tastes quite early in life.
On one occasion while we were absent from the house he plundered a cage containing a pet canary bird, killed the fluttering inmate, plucked the feathers and then laid the bare little body in a frying pan over a gas stove, where it was left until the skin turned a beautiful brown. We came back just as the intelligent canine was adding the proper proportions of pepper and salt to the cooked morsel, when he bolted the meal hastily for fear of interruption and then scooted through the open door.
After remaining away for two days he returned with a fine young pullet in his mouth, stolen from a neighboring hennery, and this he placed at our feet, wagging his tail and winking his eyes significantly, as much as to say, "This is to square the roast canary bird." It really was a very tender chicken.—Sam T. Clover in Chicago Herald.

An Irish Ware.

Beleek ware comes from Ireland. It is as light and thin as an egg shell, very glossy and feels like satin. It is said to be very strong. The color is peculiar, being a little darker than cream, and nearly all that I saw was slightly decorated in pink. Tea and after dinner coffee cups are about the same price, $15 to $18 a dozen. There is a great variety of small dishes in this ware for bonbons, olives, salt, etc.
In odd pieces there are cracker jars in imported china, from $3 to $6 a piece, which in domestic ware would cost from $1 to $2.50 each. Bouillon cups are fifty cents each. English pudding sets of three pieces bring $1 to $6. Chocolate pots, that, until closely examined look like fine Doulton, cost $1 to $3 each.—New York Telegram.

A Collection of Martyrs.

A recent canvass was made of the convicts of Joliet prison, and out of over 600 men, sent for almost every crime in the calendar, not a single one would acknowledge that he was guilty of the crime charged. The great majority looked upon themselves as martyrs to the law, and felt that they had been grievously wronged.—Detroit Free Press.

Steel Tanks for Storing Grain.

A new method of storing grain is being introduced. Steel tanks are filled with grain and by a suction pump the air is partly exhausted and a quantity of carbonic acid gas admitted.—Lewiston Journal.

Barking of Dogs.

In writing of the native dogs of Central America Frederick Boyle brings forward a theory as to how dogs form the habit of barking. He was discussing with an old resident of the country some traits of the "coyote," as the native wolf is called, but which more nearly resembles the dog.
"Dogs will never go wild so long as they can find a master to serve, and more especially trained dogs. The coyote never barks, and only gallops when pursued. In regard to the first of these points, says Mr. Byam, a remark made by an old Indian struck me.
"Why won't these coyotes bark like other dogs?" I asked him, pointing to one I was trying to reclaim, "and why do they only howl and the pups grunt?"
His answer was, "He won't learn."
"Not learn!" said I. "What do you mean?"
"No," he replied, "not learn, for if he were of an honest breed he would bark to try and imitate his master, or at any events the other dogs, but all barking proceeds from dogs imitating their master's shout. The master shouts to frighten away cattle from his maize field—the dog barks directly; the master shouts to drive in cattle to the corral, and the dog barks also. In fact, the dog imitates his master when he barks; he tries to speak, but cannot."
I give this curious observation as the only attempt I ever heard to account for the barking of our tame dogs. No wild breeds make any noise except howling and snarling, nor under the best circumstances will they learn to bark until the third or fourth generation, a length of trial which Mr. Byam does not appear to have given the coyote.

A Thief Detector.

"When we started I noticed," said one of a party of jewelers who had camped in the wilds of Canada, "that one of our number was incumbered with a large box. The second day in camp two watches disappeared, and each member of the party began to look upon the others with silent suspicion. Finally, as the thefts were repeated, a meeting was called, and every man pleaded not guilty. No one up to that time suspected the honest French Canadian lad we had engaged as a servant. He was questioned and also entered a prompt and emphatic denial. We all believed his protestations of innocence except the man with the box.
"'Gentlemen,' said he, 'somebody in the party took those watches, and I propose to find out who. I have here a thief detector,' pulling out an electric battery and winking at the crowd. 'If there is a thief among us this will point him out.' Every man took his turn at the battery. The boy watched the performance in wonder. He had never seen such a queer arrangement before, but as everybody who touched the coils escaped without harm he stepped bravely to the front when it came to his turn and took hold. A sudden change came over him. The owner of the battery had turned on its full force, and the victim gave a yell of pain and horror, and fell to the ground screaming: 'Save me! save me! I took 'em, but I'll never do it again!'"—Jewelers' Weekly.

The Armenian Houses.

The Armenian houses of Armenia proper are by no means comfortable. The poorer classes have homes that would hardly be considered fit for cows in America, and in fact the cow lives with the family. The floors are below the level of the roadway, and there are little windows about the size of portholes. Most of the houses are of one story, and it is not uncommon to build a house against the side of a hill, so that there will be no back wall. Stepping down into the house you find the cow stable on one side and on the other the kitchen and the private apartments of the family.
Each room has a stone fireplace, and all the cooking is done with cow dung mixed with straw. There are no tables and few chairs, and it is a curious thing that a large part of the heat of the room comes from the animal heat produced by the cattle in the stable which adjoins the kitchen. The houses of the wealthy and middle class of Armenians are more comfortable, and in the big Turkish cities you will find Armenians occupying palaces. In the country, however, they have few of the comforts of Christendom, and the chief furniture consists of a divan running around three sides of the room covered with Persian rugs and resting on a carpet of gray felt.—Frank G. Carpenter in National Tribune.

How to Water a Horse.

Feed the horse regularly, giving him an even quantity. Do not water him on top of his dinner till he is full as a barrel and then drive him off at a smart gait while his insides are churned into malt house pressure, ready by effervescence to burst. Give a horse sparingly of water on the road. Many ladies seem to think it "fun to see him drink" at a wayside trough till he is ready to drop. Be careful of the wayside "gift of humanity," the stone trough. If the horse has been a long time on the road, it is kind to allow him to dip his lips in the cooling water and swallow two or three mouthfuls, but no more, unless you wish to "founder" him, that is, make him unsound in his forelegs for life. You may even kill him, if the water comes from a very cold spring. Do the watering mostly at home is my rule.—New York Weekly.

A Queer Find.

A few days ago a young woman over in Jersey City lost one of the silver tips from her pocketbook. She made a vigorous search in her home and along the way of her daily travel without finding any trace of it. Four days afterward she met a friend who noticed that one of the silver corners of the pocketbook was gone. Laughing the friend put her hand into her pocket, saying, "I believe I've just found a silver tip that will [illegible] to your pocketbook." And it not only [illegible] fit, but it was none other than [illegible] with blue eyes, tip she had lost.—New [illegible] while even the Sun. [illegible] have auburn hair.

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H. H. GRANICE - - - - - - - - - - EDITOR

SONOMA, JAN. 3, 1891.

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Communications designed to call attention to any matter of limited or individual interest will not be inserted unless paid for as an advertisement.

The author's real name must accompany all communications, not necessarily for publication, but as a guarantee of good faith. This rule will not be deviated from.

Another Murder.

Ed. Hatton, charged with killing a man named Kolmer at Timber Cove in this county on Christmas day, now lies in the County Jail. His examination will take place next Tuesday before Justice Brown of Santa Rosa. The particulars of this latest killing, as gleaned from the Santa Rosa *Democrat*, is substantially as follows: Hatton and Kolmer, in company with James Gould and Joseph Bollatti, were drinking in the Timber Cove Hotel, J. Brooks proprietor, and Hatton, who was in a blood-thirsty humor, left the house with his hat and bridle in one hand and a pistol in the other. It was about 4:30 o'clock, and before he had gone out of sight of the house he fired four shots. The next morning Gould and Bolatti, starting home from the Plantation House, found Kolmer's body near the house close to the highway. Justice Brooks was informed of the ghastly discovery and impaneled a jury to pass upon the case. An examination of the remains showed that death had resulted from a bullet wound in the neck. The leaden missile took a diagonal course and lodged under the skin near the spinal column. Dr. Bowers, who had been summoned by Justice Brooks, made a thorough examination of the body, and upon the strength of his statement the jury rendered a verdict of death from a pistol wound, probably inflicted by Edwin Hatton.

A Cruel Practice.

All who have seen horses suffering from the torture of the overhead check will agree with the following;

About 500 veterinary surgeons in Great Britain signed a paper condemning over-head check-reins as painful to horses, and productive of disease.

It is cruel in the extreme, causing distortion of the windpipe to such a degree as to impede the respiration ever afterwards, and various other diseases, such as excoriation of the mouth and lips, paralysis of the muscles of the face, megrims, apoplexy, coma and inflammation and softening of the brain, all these resulting in shortening the life of the horse.

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Mary had a little lamb, its fleece was white as snow; it strayed away one summer day where lambs should never go. Then Mary sat down and tears streamed from her pretty eyes; she never found her lamb because she did not advertise. And Mary had a brother John, who kept a villiage store; he sat down and smoked his pipe and watched the open door. And as the people passed along and did not buy, John still sat down and smoked his pipe and blinked his sleepy eye. And so the Sheriff closed him out, and still he lingered near, and Mary came to drop with him a sympathizing tear. "How is it, sister, that these other merchants sell all the goods and pay their bills and thrive from year to year?" Remembering her own bad luck the little maid replies: "These other fellows get there, John, because they advertise."—*Santa Cruz Sentinel.*

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COURT PROCEEDINGS.

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Estate of George O'Donnell—A Blaney appointed administrator; bond waived.

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If You Had a Friend

About to visit some section of country where malarial disease, either in the form of chills and fevers or bilious remittent was particularly rife, what would be about the best advice you could give him? We will tell you—to carry along, or procure on arriving, that potent medicinal safeguard, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, known throughout malaria plagued regions, here and in other countries, as the surest means of disarming the miasmatic scourge, and robbing it of its fell destructive influence. Not only does it fortify the system by increasing its stamina, but overcomes irregularity of digestion, the liver and the bowels, and counteracts the unfavorable effects of over-exertion, bodily and mental exposure in rough weather, or occupation too sedentary or laborious, loss of appetite and excessive nervousness. The functions of alimentation, bilious secretion and sleep have in it a most powerful and reliable auxiliary.

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Administrator's Sale of Personal Property.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE of Frank B. Weiler, deceased.

The Superior Court of Sonoma county having made an order on the 24th day of December, 1890, directing the administrator of the estate to sell all the personal property at either public or private sale, notice is hereby given that the administrator of said estate will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at Agua Caliente, on the premises of the late Frank B. Weiler, opposite the Postoffice, on

Wednesday, Jan. 7, 1891, at 2 P M.,

all the following described personal property, to-wit: 2 bottles whisky, 4 bottles Jamacia rum, 2 pint bottles champagne, 14 bottles gin, 1 revolver and 1 box cartridges, 15 gallons whisky, 12 gallons whisky, 2 doz Hock, 11 bottles ale, 17 bottles ale, 20 bottles claret, 6 bottles Climax bitters, 6 bottles champagne cider, 4 bottles apollanaris water, 5 bottles Grape Root bitters, 1 bottle Aromatic bitters, 2¾ dozen bottles beer, 1 dozen packs cards, 1 lot pictures, 25 boxes cigars, 11 dozen soda and sarsaparilla, 16 bottles bitters (mixed), 1 lot liquors, 50 assorted glasses, 1 stove and pipe, 7 chairs, 3 round tables, 1 dozen empty flasks and sugar bowl, 2 crib boards, dice box and squeezer, 3 empty demijohns, 1 bedstead, bureau and wire mattress, 3 whisky barrels, 6 bottles spring water, 2 lamps, 1 ice chest, 1 lot of wood.

H. C. CULBERSON,
Administrator of the estate of Frank B. Weiler, deceased.
Sonoma, December 27, 1890.

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Notice to Creditors.

Estate of JOHN TIVNEN, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY the undersigned, Executor of the Will of the said John Tivnen, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within ten (10) months after the first publication of this notice, to the said David Calloway at his place of residence, one-third of a mile west from the Plaza in the town of Sonoma, in Sonoma county, the same being his place for the transaction of the business of the said estate in the said County of Sonoma, State of California.

DAVID CALLOWAY,
Executor of the estate of John Tivnen, Deceased.
Dated at Sonoma, December 27th, 1890.

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That I represent the very oldest English Company in America, the Commercial Union Assurance Company of London, that has cash assets of $14,179,317, with about Three Million in trust as special security to its policy holders. This company has paid its policy holders Sixty Millon Dollars, and has been in existence 22 years.

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Sun Insurance Company of California. The combined assets in cash of these companies represent $33,205,567. The companies that are represented by me pay all losses promptly, not waiting the usual 60 days, nor do they deduct from the amount insured upon grounds of depreciation in value of property insured. With these solid facts before you, I, with confidence, solicit a share of your Insurance business.

Respectfully yours,
ALLEN A. CONVERSE,
Insurance Agent.
(Successor to John Tivnen.)

Dog Lost or Stolen.

A seven-months-old mastiff, light brown in color, black head, small white spot on bagast. Strayed or stolen from Union Hall on New Years' eve.

A suitable reward will be paid for his recovery. ROBERT LOWE.

Eden Dale Farm, Jan 3, 1891.

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The undersigned has been appointed agent for Sonoma and vicinity for the

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The business placed on the books of the companies by their late respected agent

MR. JOHN TIVNEN

will receive erreful attention at my hands on expiration, and a renewal of the same is respectfully solicited.

D. H. TWING.

Sonoma, Cal., Nov. 25, 1890.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of FRANK B. WEILER, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, Administrator of the estate of Frank B. Weiler, deceased, to the Creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator at his residence in the Valley of Sonoma, in Sonoma county, or at the law office of Wm. E. M. Connell in the "Kohl" building on Exchange avenue in the city of Santa Rosa in said county, the same being his place for the transaction of the business of the said estate in the said County of Sonoma, State of California. H. C. CULBERSON,
Administrator of the estate of Frank B. Weiler, deceased.
Dated at Sonoma, Cal., December 13, 1890. 5t

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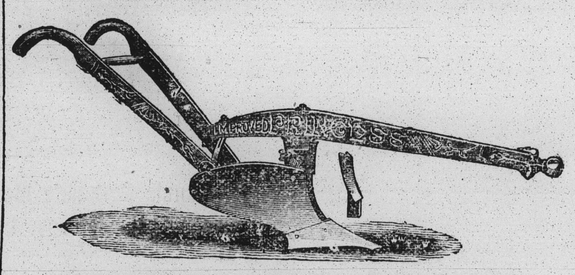

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CITY OFFICIAL PAPER.

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The Union Hotel is the first-class house of Sonoma. *

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For the best and cheapest groceries go to Weyl's. *

Go to the Union Hotel for first-class accommodations. *

Go to H. Weyl's for Star flour. The best in the market. *

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Subscribe for your home paper if you want the local news.

If you want first-class accommodations go to the Union Hotel. †

You can be accommodated at the Union Hotel according to your means. *

Mrs. Martha Vallejo of Oakland has been granted a divorce in the Superior Court of Alameda county from N. P. Vallejo.

G. W. Sparks, C. W. Engelbert and R. D. Moore have been appointed appraisers of the estate of Mrs. Mary Ewell.

The case of Hi Lo, the Chinese washman, who shot and killed Marian Patrick in this place several weeks ago, will be called in the Superior Court next Monday.

Another fine shower of rain fell in this valley Monday night. It was just sufficient to keep the ground in good condition for plowing and seeding for several weeks yet to come.

Fred. Ewell has been appointed guardian of the Ewell estate by the Superior Court of this county. He has filed a bond of $3,000 with two sureties, who have qualified for double the amount.

A valuable mastiff belonging to Robert Howe strayed off or was stolen on New Years eve. The animal was about seven months old. A suitable reward is offered in another column for his recovery.

Dr. Vance has had put up in front of his residence on Napa street a fine granite stepping stone, which will be a great accommodation to his many patrons and a good example for others to follow.

Clotilda, the little one year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Ciucci of the Toscano Hotel, died on New Year's eve of inflammation of the lungs. The funeral will take place to-day at one P. M. from their residence.

Dr. Vance has been in communication with Dr. Libberts, assistant to Prof. Koch of Berlin, and is promised a supply of the famous lymph in a short time. The doctor is a believer in the scientific methods of Koch and Pasteur and hopes to apply them in practice.

Important! Important!—You can buy all kinds of furniture, beds and bedding, stoves, crockery, glassware and staple groceries, also nice buggy harness, saddles, bridles, halters, Etc. Cheap for cash at Badgers, Agua Caliente.

Heydt & Cousens, dealers in harness and saddlery, advertise in these columns a great closing out sale. They announce a reduction of from 25 to 50 per on former charges. Farmers are invited to call without delay if they wish to secure bargains for cash.

Julius Poppe Jr. met with a painful accident Saturday afternoon while playing in front of J. B. Small's residence. The little fellow was running and in some way stumbled and fell. His face struck on the new curb that is being laid on Napa street and was severely cut.

Now is the time to buy residence lots in Sonoma. If you want a fine lot 50x150, on one of the best residence streets in Sonoma, apply at once to H. H. Granice, real estate agent. These lots are now offered for $550 each. This is the best offer ever made in this place for residence property.

M. McDonough, conductor of the night freight train, ruaning between Tiburon and Ukiah, while coupling the engine and tender of his train at Petaluma last Saturday morning, had two fingers of his right hand badly smashed. He is a brother of J. McDonough, conductor of the Sonoma Valley Branch.

A large number of resistant vines will be planted on the Senator Hearst place this season. Dr. Latham, who has charge of the same, has made many improvements the past year and many more are contemplated. At the present time a large area of land on the northeast side of the Santa Rosa wagon road, which runs through the ranch, is being plowed and seeded to grain.

A humorous and entertaining lecture will be given in Union Hall on Tuesday evening, January 13th, at 7:30 o'clock, by Rev. J. C. Robbins of Lincoln, Placer county. His subject will be "Personal Experiences Among the Sioux Indians." The lecturer has conversed with Sitting Bull, Red Cloud, Standing Bear and other chiefs. He will sing in Indian, talk in Indian, make their signs, narrate their customs, manners, etc. The lecture causes much amusement. There is nothing dry in it and it will interest young and old. Admission for adults, 25cts; children, 25cts.

A CONFIDENCE SHARP.

How He "Raises the Wind"--Sonoma Valley People His Dupes.

A man named Chas. Eichenaur, better known as "Handsome Charlie," who until recently was employed as a cooper by a prominent wine-growing firm of this valley, for the past few weeks has been "taking in" the people of this valley in great shape. A few weeks ago he left his situation and took up his abode in San Francisco. That he had permanently changed his habitation was not generally known to the residents hereabouts, many of whom had frequently met him during his sojourn here. After arriving in the city he no doubt concluded that working for a living was "played out," and that he would in future live off his wits. Having a speaking acquaintance with a great many Sonoma Valley people, it has been his habit, just before the departure of the 5 o'clock boat which leaves San Francisco for Sonoma and way stations, to rush up to his victim and addressing him by name, hurriedly ask for the loan of a dollar to purchase a ticket to Sonoma, explaining at the same time that he had been in the city for a few days, had been on a little "booze" and had became flat broke. He desired to return home, you know, in order to resume work for his employees, and would return the loan upon his arrival there. Being taken completely off his guard the victim nine times out of ten would hand the fellow the dollar, never suspecting for a moment but what his representations were genuine. The rascal has now been plying his vocation daily for the past two weeks and has succeeded in "taking in" a large number of our people. Last Saturday evening he got in his work on no less than four subjects and the returns are as yet not all in for that day. Sonoma Valley people visiting the city are therefore warned against trusting the fellow, as he is a fraud of the worst kind.

Valley of the Moon Chapter.

Valley of the Moon Chapter, No. 85, O. E. S. of Sonoma, installed their newly-elected officers on Friday evening of last week. The installation ceremonies were conducted by Brother Goodman, Past Patron, in a courtly and dignified manner. The new officers are as follows: Mrs. C. Goodman, Worthy Matron; Mrs. E. Cutter, Worthy Patron; Mrs. Thompson, Associate Matron; Mrs. Mary Shaw, Treasurer; Miss Mattie Goodman, Secretary; Miss Hannah Johnson, Conductor; Mrs. E. Cassebohm, Associate Conductor; Miss Mary Cutter, Adah; Mrs. Sparks, Ruth; Mrs. A. McHarvey, Esther; Mrs. Mary Akers, Martha; Mrs. Brown, Electa; Mrs. Litzius, Warden; Mr. David Calloway, Sentinel. After the installation, Sister Arvilla McHarvey, first Past Matron of the Chapter, presented Sister Madora McIntyre, the retiring Matron, with a beautiful Past Matron's jewel, the presentation being accompanied with an appropriate speech.

Stricken With Paralysis.

Mrs. Young, an old resident of this place, was stricken with paralysis last week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Bush of Oakland, where she now lies in a precarious condition. The lady is 76 years old. She is being kindly cared for by her sons and daughters. The sudden illness of Mrs. Young is very sad. There was a re-union of the old lady's family at the home of Mrs. Bush on Christmas day. The day was passed pleasantly, but without previous warning, after retiring for the night, Mrs. Young was suddenly rendered unconscious by a stroke of paralysis, which affected her entire right side. Her recovery is doubtful.

Watermelons on New Year's Day.

Jas. McMackin of Shellville surprised this office New Year's day with a present of two immense watermelons which were plucked from the vines in the open field last Tuesday. The gentleman also brought samples of pomegranates and three varieties of persimmons. The latter were the best we have ever eaten. These fruits were grown on Mr. McMackin's farm, which is located in one of the most fertile spots of this valley.

The Bean Spray Pump.

The proper spraying of trees is something that is almost essential to the growth and prosperity of the fruit in sections where insects of different kinds may affect them. For this purpose there is nothing equal to the Bean Spray Pump, for which C. McHarvey is agent for Sonoma Valley. See adv. in another column.

The Net Receipts.

The exact amount of the receipts at the Firemen's ball on New Year's eve is not yet known, as all the tickets are not yet in. It is certain, however, that $100 will be cleared.

Delays are dangerous. Take Simmons Liver Regulator in time for dyspepsia, biliousness and all diseases of the liver.

THE RAG MASQUERADE.

Sonoma Turns Out in Force to Encourage the Firemen.

The rag masquerade ball given by the firemen of Sonoma at Union Hall on New Year's eve was attended by almost every party-goer in the valley, while many of Sonoma's most respected citizens, with their wives and children, were present as spectators. For once the horror of a "public ball" did not prevent the most fastidious of our people from attending and entering into the enjoyments of the evening. We are glad to note this fact, because it is bound to be the fore-runner of more sociability in our midst.

At 9 o'clock Jas. H. Albertson, floor manager, announced the grand march for maskers only, in which about fifty couple participated. The hall was crowded with spectators, and while the grand march was in progress the unique and comical masks and costumes of the participants made the scene a very animated one. To mention the "make up" of any particular lady or gentleman masker would be unfair, as there were so many unique characters assumed and acted out that it wound be hard indeed to say just which was the best.

Masks were removed at eleven o'clock, after which the spectators were given the freedom of the floor, and all who so desired danced the old year out and the new year in.

The committee of firemen having the arrangements in hand deserve praise for the excellent manner in which everything passed off. We are pleased to state that the ball was not only a social but also a financial success.

A Christmas Carol Service and Entertainment.

A very interesting Christmas carol service and entertainment was given at the Congregational church on Tuesday afternoon last. The church was beautifully and artistically decorated for the occasion by some of the ladies of the congregation. The following was the order of the program: Song, "Joy to the World, the Lord has Come;" reading of the Scriptures by the pastor and prayer by the Rev. Mr. Trudgen; song, "Glory to God in the Highest," by the Sunday School; recitation, "The Christmas Star," Miss Hannah Dorman; responsive reading from the Scriptures; recitation, "The Star in the East," Gracie Carmer; recitation, "The Three Kings," Claire Hope; responsive readings No. 2; recitation, "The New Born Light," Miss Bertha Campbell; song, "Christmas Bell," by the Sunday School; responsive readings No. 3; recitation, "The Risen Star," Bertha Manuel; responsive readings No. 4; recitation, Katie Morris; song, "Praise Him;" recitation, "The Signal Star," by Hulbert Munfrey, Mid. Glaister and Eddie Morris; address, "The Birth of Christ," Rev. D. H. Reid; song, "Oh, Come All Ye Faithful;" benediction, Rev. Trudgen.

The recitations by the young ladies and gentlemen were interesting and appropriate to the occasion and were delivered in an easy and graceful manner, much to the delight and edification of the audience. At the close of the above exercises the children and members and friends of the church adjourned to the school-room below and participated in a feast of good things prepared by some of the ladies of the church, to whom much praise is due, also to B. F. Campbell, the Superintendent of the Sunday School, for the expeditious and efficient manner in which the whole of the proceedings were conducted.

New Transfer Boat.

The new ferry boat of the San Francisco and North Pacific Railway Company, which has been in course of construction at Tiburon for the past year or two, made her trial trip last Saturday. The steamer, which has been named the Ukiah, is one of the largest on the Bay. She has taken the place of the Tiburon, which has been laid up for repairs. The change will be a great accommodation to shippers of fruit in this valley, as they will be enabled to ship direct to the city without breaking bulk, as the new boat was built especially for transferring freight cars to and from San Francisco.

Beautiful and Valuable Pamphlet.

The Southern Pacific Company has issued a beautiful illustrated pamphlet entitled "West by South, Half South," a complimentary copy of which has been sent this office by T. H. Goodman, General Passenger and Ticket Agent of that company. It contains, besides many artistic illustrations, valuable and interesting information to railway travelers. Copies of the book will be furnished by the Southern Pacific Company upon receipt of 25 cents in postage stamps. The office of the company is Fourth and Townsend streets, San Francisco.

With a record like Simmons Liver Regulator none should be afraid to use it for their liver.

The Union Hotel is now open.*

THE JUDGSHIP CONTEST.

Crawford Declared Elected by One Vote.

Judge Dougherty rendered his final decision in the Rutledge-Crawford election contest last Tuesday. The Judge in his decision declares the latter elected by one vote. An appeal will be taken by the contestant to the Supreme Court. When the contest began Crawford was six votes ahead, and is now declared elected by one vote. The principal rulings of the court were upon the blue and indelible pencil, which was declared not in compliance with the provisions of the new election laws. All the votes marked with pencils of this kind were counted as if no change had been made on the original ticket. The Court also held that the provisions requiring the words "no vote" written after a scratched name were not in the requirements of the Constitution.

-GLEN ELLEN GOSSIP-

Tom Mulhall was a visitor at Glen Ellen Sunday.

C. O. Borman has returned from San Francisco.

Miss Ella Durant is visiting her parents at this place.

Miss Mary Beatty is quite ill with malignant diphtheria.

Attorney Pierce of Santa Rosa visited Glen Ellen last Monday.

Mrs. C. H. Crofoot visited the City of Roses one day this week.

A merry Christmas and a happy New Year to the INDEX-TRIBUNE readers.

Bruce P. Ephlin and family are absent spending the holidays with relatives.

Leo Justi, who has been visiting relatives at this place, returned to his home in Oakland last Sunday.

Miss Jennie Sullivan, who has been spending the holidays with friends in San Francisco, has returned home.

EBERFELD.

Glen Ellen, Jan. 1, 1891.

Harry Weise returned Wednesday from Los Angeles.

Mr. Allen of this place visited Santa Rosa one day last week.

Miss Fanny Ryan is spending the holidays in San Francisco.

Paul Luttrell of Los Guilicos visited Santa Rosa one day last week.

Dr. Smith of Santa Rosa made a flying visit to Glen Ellen Sunday.

Doc. Chambers of Santa Rosa visited Glen Ellen one day this week.

Mrs. Geo. Guerne of Santa Rosa visited her father, John Gibson, on Monday.

Mr. Leaving of Red Bluff is in charge of the station during Mr. Ephlin's absence.

Mr. Durant of this place and Mrs. Brown of San Francisco visited Los Guilicos Thursday evening.

Miss Beatty and Mr. Gammill of this place attended the Christmas tree at Los Guilicos Christmas eve.

Little Ame Poppe, who was quite ill for a few days last week, has so far recovered as to be around again.

J. K. Luttrell, who has been quite ill at his home in Los Guilicos for some time past, is rapidly recovering.

Will Justi, who has been employed in C. O. Borman's saloon for some time past, has resigned his position and expects to leave the country soon.

YOUNG AMERICA.

Glen Ellen, Dec. 29, 1890.

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-PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.-

Wm. Wyatt is visiting friends in Sonoma.

E. Perkins went to the city on Saturday last.

H. C. Culberson visited the county seat last Monday.

Ed. Steiger was a visitor at Santa Rosa one day this week.

Johnny Laux is recovering from a sharp dysenteric attack.

Stephen Akers of Shellville visited Santa Rosa last Tuesday.

J. Fochetti and little son visited San Francisco last Saturday.

E. J. Mullin, a former resident of this city, was in town Saturday.

Miss Sophia Wilson is the guest of her brother Tom in Cloverdale.

Miss Neil of Vacaville is the guest of her cousin Mrs. Wm. Trudgen.

Miss Willie Akers returned home last evening from a visit in the city.

Mary Burke, student at Santa Rosa College, is home for the holidays.

Little Burton Hewitt is convalescent from bilious fever and ulcerated throat.

Attorney Davis of Tulare was the guest of his brother Dr. H. Davis last week.

Miss Lee Smyth of Santa Rosa visited friends and relatives in town the past week.

A. A. Converse of this place was registered at the Occidental Hotel last Saturday.

Mrs. J. M. Griffin of Madria was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McHarvey last week.

Henry Hartin, after a week's visit with friends at the Bay City, returned home Wednesday.

Chester Smith came up from the city Wednesday evening to visit friends for a few days.

J. Powell of San Jose is spending the holidays with his brother M. Powell of Sonoma.

Alf. McLaughlin came up from the city Wednesday to spend New Years with his mother.

Harry Martin, son of Mrs. James Martin of San Francisco, was in town several days the past week.

Miss Levy returned to the Bay City after a visit of several days with her friend Mrs. James Albertson.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Spaulding came up from the city last Saturday evening to visit relatives near Sonoma.

The Misses C. and M. Robin returned Sunday to their home in San Francisco after a short visit in Sonoma.

E. H. Pauli, one of the Sonoma contingent residing in San Francisco, spent New Years with friends in this place.

J. W. Sharp returned to his farm near Sonoma last Wednesday evening after a visit of several days in San Francisco.

Mrs. R. G. Steele of Merced who has been visiting her son H. H. Granice for the past week returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. McCoy returned to their home in San Francisco last Saturday, after several days visit with their mother Mrs. Young.

Sonoma Valley will soon lose one of her most charming young ladies, who will be led to the altar by a prosperous young business man of this city.

Miss Eva Prunty, who has been a long time invalided, has so far recovered strength as to be able to visit San Francisco during last week.

Henry Nachand of Park Place, Clackamas county, Oregon, who has been the guest of H. W. Mathews the past two weeks left for Sacramento county yesterday.

The party given at Union Hall by the Sonoma Social Club last evening was well attended and many handsome costumes were worn by the ladies. The ball was beautifully decorated by Carl Ludeman. Dancing was indulged in until after midnight.

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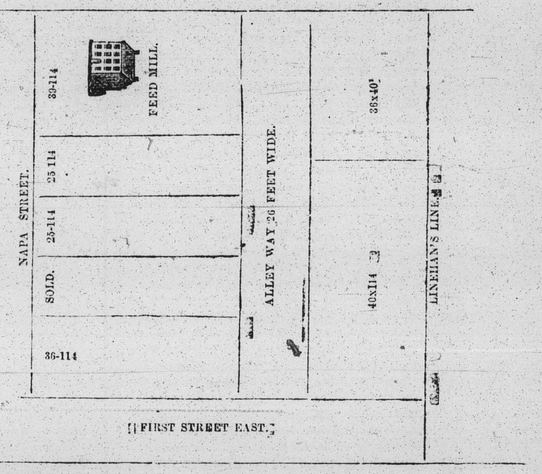

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EVENING AT THE FARM.

Pale twilight rises and with hurried pace
Fast follows where the red sun kissed the sand;
With misty touch conceals his last warm trace,
And blows her softening dusk breath o'er the land.

The drowsy bird note dies upon the breeze;
Shy flowrets lock their faces from the dew;
The shadow falls no longer from the trees
Where sport tired lambkin rests, or sober ewe.

The barnyard clamor ceases, kine are fed:
The soil flecked field horse munches in his stall;
The watch dog turns him to his straw lined shed,
Nor deaf through sleep to faintest danger call.

Within the farm house porch in dreamy mood,
The day worn toiler takes his well earned rest,
While huddling youngsters watch with round eyes shrewd
To catch the dustman in his evening quest.

It is the hour for silent spirit-bands
To speed with white winged prayer—now perfect grown,
As day's king, Labor, folds his weary hands,
Nor yet has beckoned Slumber to his throne.
—Josephine Puett Spoonts in New Orleans Times Democrat.

She Caught a Mouse.

Sunday evening a gentleman and his wife, who live on a street pretty near the tunnel, attended evening service at the Fourth church and took seats in the gallery. The service was about half over when they were annoyed by a continued tittering and scuffling back of them, and looking around they saw several girls standing upon the seats, while a number more were moving uneasily about as if trying to avoid some danger. Just then the word "rats," uttered in a stage whisper, partially solved the trouble, and the man turned toward his wife. His wife is mortally afraid of rats and mice, and the mention of the word "rats" set her to thinking.

Presently the people in the gallery began to leave, but the scuffling continued until the lady whispered to her husband that they, too, had better go. So they arose and left, and the lady breathed freer when she reached the street. When they arrived at home they were laughing at the incident, when the lady screamed and jumping into a chair grasped something in the folds of her dress. "It's the mouse," she said to her husband as she clung to her garment.

She was right, too, but it was dead, probably from the clutch she gave in her excitement.—Hartford Courant.

Editor Warner on the Slot Machine.

Charles Dudley Warner, while moralizing upon a well known tendency of modern times in Harper's, has something to say regarding the possible future development of some recent familiar inventions. "Perhaps," says he, "we may expect a further development of the 'slot' machine. By dropping a cent in the slot one can get his weight, his age, a piece of chewing gum, a bit of candy or a shock that will energize his nervous system. Why not get from a similar machine a 'good business education,' or an 'interpretation' of Browning, or a new language, or a knowledge of English literature? But even this would be crude.

"We have hopes of something from electricity. There ought to be somewhere a reservoir of knowledge, connecting by wires with every house, and a professional switch tender, who, upon the pressure of a button in any house, could turn on the intellectual stream desired. There must be discovered in time a method by which not only information, but intellectual life, can be infused into the system by an electric current. It would save a world of trouble and expense."

Long Prayers.

An Irish priest at Ammergau told the following story of his bishop: His lordship and a chaplain came to see the Passion play. They would fain have had a room each, but this was not possible. They knelt down separately to say their prayers by their little cots, and presently it crossed the mind of the chaplain that it would not be well to make his orisons shorter than the bishop's, and he glanced over his shoulder to see if his lordship was about to make an end.

The bishop, presumably anxious not to scandalize his chaplain by the shortness of his prayers, also glanced over his shoulder and waited. The process was repeated several times. Both supplicants were very tired, and in time both fell asleep. They were found in the morning on their knees still and sleeping.—Pall Mall Gazette.

Quite a Traveler for a Turtle.

W. E. Hellenbrand, of Oldtown, came into possession of a turtle lately at Pushaw, which bore upon it the evidence of having reached years of discretion and of having been—for a turtle—quite a traveler. It was marked "J. W. Sewall, 1871," and Mr. Sewall remembers that when camping in his boyhood on Pushaw lake he found the turtle near the outlet and cut his name upon its shell. The animal was found a short time ago in the "Thorofare," near Orson island, some sixteen miles from its former place of capture, showing that it had traveled on the average about a mile each year. Mr. Hellenbrand's son Walter marked it and released it for further adventure.—Bangor (Me.) Commercial.

The Oldest Place in America.

"Do you know the oldest place in all America?" said Gen. John E. Henderson, of St. Louis, to a circle of friends. "I don't mean the oldest town in the country or on the continent, but the land first found on the western hemisphere. No? Well, I thought not. It is Mount Marcy, in the Adirondack mountains. Agassiz and other geologists have figured out that Mount Marcy was the point of land that made its appearance first above the water when the western hemisphere was evolved."—Chicago Herald.

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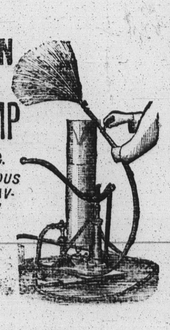

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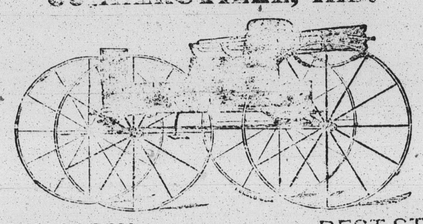

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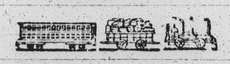

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